

Strike out 9th section to word "and," in line 8, and insert:

"9. The general Staff of the militia of this State shall consist of an Adjutant General, who shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and shall hold his office at the pleasure of the Governor, an Inspector General, to be elected by the General Assembly as aforesaid, each of whom shall rank as Major General; a Judge Advocate General, a Paymaster General, a Quartermaster General, a Surgeon General and a Commissary General, who shall each rank as Brigadier General, and who shall be commissioned by the Governor, on the nomination and recommendation of the Military Board, which is hereby created, to consist of the Adjutant General, Inspector General and the Comptroller of the Treasury, and the Inspector General, Judge Advocate General, Paymaster General, Surgeon General and Commissary General, shall hold their respective commissions until trial and conviction by court martial.

Mr. Clarke proposed the following amendment:

Sub-section]2, after the word "Treasurer," in line 4, strike out all to and including the word "States," in line 12.

Mr. Jones proposed the following as a substitute for the amendment proposed by Mr. Clarke:

Strike out after Treasurer, in fourth line, to physicians, in tenth line.

Which was rejected.

Mr. Nicolai proposed the following amendment:

Section 26, Provided, that nothing contained in this Act shall be so construed as to refer to persons of color.

Mr. Neilson moved the previous question;

Which was sustained.

The question then being,

"Shall the previous question be now put?"

It was sustained.

The question then recurring upon the amendment proposed by Mr. Clarke;

It was adopted.

The question then recurring upon the amendment proposed by Mr. Nicolai,

It was adopted,

And the bill as amended was then read a second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.